

LUCILE, FAMOUS DRESS DESIGNER, GOES BANKRUPT

(By United News)
 London, Oct. 12.—Lady Duff-Gordon, founder of "Lucile's, Ltd.," famous internationally as a modiste and fashion designer, has filed a petition in bankruptcy and claims she is penniless.

Beginning as a seamstress in a bare little workroom, she built up a business with exclusive shops in London, Paris, New York, Chicago and other large cities, which brought nearly a million dollars a year. But she says she has been discharged from the business she created and is now thrown on the world without a cent.

In 1913 she merged her business, which had already grown to large proportions, with that of Otto Bernard Scholoff, a big American wholesale milliner. Lady Duff-Gordon receiving a salary of \$20,000 a year as dress designer and a share of the profits.

"I'll never forget our meeting at the Plaza hotel in New York," she told the United News, describing her first meeting with Scholoff.

"Girlie, I'm right glad to meet you," he said, smiling me by the arm.

"I was immediately amused and interested. Now look what's happened. I'm penniless. Nothing to live on. My entire income gone. I have nothing. I have been fired. It makes me laugh. It's so incredible. To be dismissed—I, who founded the business of Lucille, Ltd., and was Lady Duff-Gordon."

The firm not only summarily dismissed Lady Duff-Gordon a fortnight ago from her job as dress designer, but is suing her for money which it is claimed she owed the firm, she said.

The firm declined to make a statement, but officials indicate that differences and complications arose which Lady Duff-Gordon has not yet disclosed.

The famous modiste is the wife of Sir Cosmo Duff-Gordon and the sister of Elinor Glyn, the novelist. She began designing dresses when a child and eventually created a masterpiece known as the "emotional gown," because of its exquisitely expressive lines. She is also credited with originating the idea of using mannequins to display dress models.

Her first husband left her penniless in 1893 with her little daughter, now the Countess of Halsbury.

Lucille, working in one room, began cutting out frocks. She worked on the floor because she had no table. Her rise to international fame began at once. She started making tea gowns for her friends and the models were so unique that the reputation spread rapidly. She went to the United States in 1910, and in a few years reached the point where she designed the dresses for the Ziegfeld follies.

"Life was a golden dream," she said, "but since I have been a perfect fool, it is my own fault that things turned out differently from my dreams."

OLDER BOYS TO MEET
 Eugene, Oct. 12.—Prominent civic organizations, with several University of Oregon and Eugene high school groups, will furnish a committee to direct the Western Oregon Older Boys conference here December 1-2.

Detectives Arrest Suspect as Passer Of Bogus Checks

Accused of issuing 25 worthless checks, totaling \$300, J. N. Kuneth, Duluth, Minn., was arrested Thursday by the Burns detective agency and turned over to Inspector Tom Swensen, had check investigator of the police department. Kuneth was arrested in a downtown pool hall.

The checks are said to have been passed mostly on large department stores where Kuneth is alleged to have bought candy, clothing and toilet articles.

They were drawn on local banks and were made out to the "McDougal Advertising company." They were signed "F. W. Shaffer" and indorsed with the name of the advertising company underwritten by Kuneth.

According to the Burns detectives, they have been informed that Kuneth issued a number of worthless checks in Duluth, Minneapolis and Fargo, North Dakota.

Start Appraisals Of Deschutes Land For Soldier Loans
 Bend, Oct. 12.—Bringing with them 70 applications for soldier bonus loans, Lyman G. Rice and Colonel George White of the bonus commission, arrived in Bend Thursday to commence speedy action toward approval of loans for Deschutes county ex-service men whose requests for the loan have been held up, they explained, since August 15, when the investigation was started which resulted in the removal of J. Overturf and O. B. Hardy as appraisers.

The two members of the commission began personal appraisal of the properties on which loans are asked, visiting each in turn. They also will make an investigation with a view to recommending appointment of a new board of appraisers to take the places of Overturf and Hardy, and of Fred N. Wallace, who recently resigned.

Two Charged With Looting of Store
 Roseburg, Oct. 12.—Robert McDonald, of St. Louis and Jack Redwin of New York City, were apprehended here Wednesday night, charged with robbing the C. J. Brester store of this city, of goods valued at \$250. The robbery was discovered shortly after it had been committed. The two boys were arrested as they were leaving town on a freight train, with it is alleged, the stolen goods in their possession. McDonald confessed that he committed the burglary and said Redwin was not implicated. Suit cases, shirts, suits, underwear, 30 pairs of silk hose and other articles were taken. They will be arraigned here today.

TRAPPED DOG FOUND DEAD
 Lebanon, Oct. 12.—W. S. Koontz, living near Lebanon, found a dead dog hanging in a barbed wire fence. The dog had been caught by one foot in the fence about two weeks previous and had been unable to extricate itself. The animal was an Airedale and bore license No. 2280.

Holstein-Fresian Association Gives Extra Prize Offer

An appropriation of \$1500, in addition to \$2000 already on hand for cash premiums, was made by the National Holstein-Fresian association towards the Pacific International Livestock exposition at Portland next month, according to a telegram from General Manager O. M. Plummer, at St. Paul. The \$1500 is to be used for an extensive booth display in the exhibits annex.

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BURGLAR-BANSACKS HOUSE

The home of R. C. Cory, No. 741 Gilliam street, was entered Wednesday night and ransacked from top to bottom, according to a report made to the police. An accordion, several articles of men's and women's clothing, \$1.75 in cash, jewelry and a black leather bag were included in the loot. Entrance was gained by means of pass key through the basement door.



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THE Dresses at Fourteen-eighty-five are all of this season's newest and most charming styles. Some are of silk, some of lace, and some of wool fabrics. There are all colors and all sizes in the group. Most good stores get twenty to thirty-five dollars for such dresses as these. Because the Peterson Store can't be made to pay, the entire collection of Twenty-five to Thirty-five Dollar Dresses are to be closed out at Fourteen-eighty-five.



THE new Coats are reduced in like fashion. They are shown in groups at Fourteen-eighty-five, Eighteen-eighty-five, and at Twenty-four-eighty-five. At Thirty-eighty-five one can buy magnificent Coats of plush—and of bolivia cloth—with fur collars and cuffs. Coats that sell in nearly all good stores for double the price.

TAILORED Suits are selling for Nineteen-eighty-five, and Twenty-eighty-five. Some are plainly tailored, of the finest Poirer Twill, and some are trimmed with costly fur. All are this

season's finest styles—and are selling for less than half price. The waists mentioned in the headlines are of wash fabrics and include all the cotton waists in the Peterson Store up to \$5 (for \$1.35). The Silk Blouses—up to Eighteen Dollars—are to be sold at \$4.85 for any blouse in the store.

TRIMMED Hats—in the season's richest velvets—beautifully fashioned—are to go at \$2.85, which is less than half the former price. Other groups are offered at Three-eighty-five, at Five-eighty-five and so on. All are reduced to about one half the former prices.

THE PETERSON SHOP for women is located on the Second Floor of the Pittcock Block. It has no connection with the store on the ground floor at all—that, as Kipling would say, is "quite another story." The Peterson Store opens at Nine and closes at Six each day until the stock is disposed of.

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